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JOB PRINTING.—A fine line of new job type was received by the City of Panama at *The Colonist*. Billheads, cards, circulars and posters are now turned out at very low rates in first-class style. *

NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE PARTnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM ANDREW MEACHAM and ITHIEL BLAKE NASON, lately carrying on business as Lumber Merchants and Miners in Cariboo, British Columbia, under the style of MEACHAM & NASON, and in Texas, United States of America, as stock raisers under the style of W. A. MEACHAM, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business at Cariboo will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Cariboo will be paid and received by I. B. Nason, and the business in Texas will in future be conducted and all debts owing by or to the firm in Texas will be paid and received by the said W. A. Meacham.

Dated the sixth day of September, A. D. Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

W. A. MEACHAM.
I. B. NASON.

WITNESS to both signatures: ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Richfield.

Barkerville, Sept. 7, 1878. se10dw1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE undersigned are requested to present them on or before the 30th September; and all persons indebted to the same are requested to call and settle before that date. G. C. KEAYS.

Victoria, 6th Sept., 1878. se7

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

In the matter of J. A. WEBSTER, an insolvent.

A DIVIDEND SHEET HAS BEEN PREPARED, open to objection, at the office of Messrs. WELCH, RITHET & Co., until the Twentieth day of September instant.

R. P. RITHET, Assignee.

Victoria, B. C., 11th September, 1878. se12

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SHUT UP FOUR Pigs, which he will sell, to defray expenses, unless they are claimed and taken away within 10 days from date. C. T. DUPONT.

Stadacona, Sept. 10, 1878. se11-10t

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NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC OF VICTORIA ARE HEREBY NOtified not to give credit to any person on our account without an order, except to our authorized buyer Leung Kee. KWONG LEE & CO.

Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1878. se1

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de31 LD. LOWENBERG.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as butchers, carrying on business at the "Liverpool Market," on Yates street, Victoria, under the name of Jackson, Goodacre & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to John Goodacre, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Jackson, Goodacre & Co.

The business will hereafter be conducted at the "Liverpool Market" by John Goodacre, under the name of John Goodacre & Co.

JOHN JACKSON,
JOHN GOODACRE.

Witness, Lyndon LeLeivre.

Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN, Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Dept., Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.

DRAKE & JACKSON, Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR GRADING, TRACKLAYING, &C.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned and endorsed "Tender Pacific Railway," will be received at this office up to noon of Wednesday the 1st day of January next, for the Grading, Tracklaying and other works of construction required to be executed on the following sections of the Canadian Pacific Railway:—

1. From the westerly end of the 26th contract at English River to Raleigh, a distance of about 50 miles.
2. From Raleigh to Eagle River, a distance of about 8 miles.
3. From Eagle River to the Easterly end of the 15th contract at Keewatin, a distance of about 67 miles.
4. From Yale to Kamloops Lake in British Columbia, a distance of about 125 miles.

Plans, etc., may be seen, and Specifications, approximate quantities, forms of tender, and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer in Chief at Ottawa.

A bill of quantities will be ready on or before December 1st, at the Dept. of Public Works.

No Tender will be entertained unless on the printed form, and unless the conditions are complied with.

The general Tender for construction of whole line under Railway Act of 1874, covers above sections; but separate tenders are asked under the ordinary conditions of the Department.

By order,
F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 13th August, 1878. au30dw

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned as linen drapers, carrying on business at the Victoria House, Victoria, under the name of Denny & Spencer, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the late firm are by the terms of the dissolution payable to William Denny, who will assume and pay all liabilities of the late firm of Denny & Spencer, and carry on the business on his own account.

Dated 2nd September, 1878.

WILLIAM DENNY,
DAVID SPENCER.

Witness—W. Pollard. se3

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

HE LEE, CORMORANT STREET, REQUESTS all persons who are indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the 15th of October next; and all persons to whom he is owing money are requested to present their accounts for payment before that date.

Victoria, 14th August, 1878. au15 3m

SAINT ANNE, OTTAWA RIVER

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE SEcretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Canal and Lock at St. Anne," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on TUESDAY THE 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER next, for the construction of a Lock and the formation of approaches to it on the landward side of the present lock at St. Anne.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specification of the works to be done, can be seen at this office and at the Resident Engineer's office, St. Anne, on and after TUESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at either of which places printed forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of $2000 must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of *five per cent.* on the bulk sum of the contract, of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

To each tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the Contract.

The Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
F. BRAUN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Ottawa, 19th August, 1878. se3dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS OR PRIVATE BUSINESS TO THE HON. G. A. WALKEM, CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS, ARE REQUESTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TO ENDORSE THE WORD "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPES COVERING SUCH COMMUNICATIONS.

A. S. FARWELL, Surveyor-General.

Land and Works Dept., Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy23dw

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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN,—I AM INDUCED TO OFFER myself as a candidate to represent you in the House of Commons of Canada.

Being persuaded that the policy of the Liberal-Conservative party is the one best calculated to advance the welfare of this Province, as well as that of the Dominion at large, I shall be prepared to give Sir John A. Macdonald and that party my earnest support.

I hold that the Dominion Government has no legitimate excuse for further delay in the commencement of railway construction in British Columbia, and I have heretofore contended that, "whatever determination may be arrived at by the engineers as to the route on the Mainland, the Carnarvon Terms must be strictly adhered to by the early construction of the Nanaimo and Esquimalt Railway."

As regards the Graving Dock at Esquimalt, I entertain a strong hope that the Imperial Government will see the necessity of accepting the proposition made by the late Government of this Province, and take over the Dock and complete it as an Imperial work. I consider the refusal of the present Government of the Dominion to contribute the sum of $250,000, which was promised by their predecessors in aid of this work as highly reprehensible. Should the Imperial Government not see fit to accede to our proposal in this matter, I have no doubt a change of government in Canada would result, not only in affording us the means of carrying out this important work, but in the faithful recognition of all our Treaty rights.

I have always been of opinion that the young and struggling industries of a new country require protection, and I shall be prepared to seek for such a revision of the existing tariff as may be suitable to the exigencies of this Province.

Fully recognizing the fact that "Union is strength," my best efforts, should you do me the honor of electing me, shall be directed towards obtaining unanimity of action between the representatives of this Province.

Before the day of election I shall have full opportunities of addressing you in various parts of the district, and shall, as far as possible, prosecute a personal canvass.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. C. ELLIOTT.

Victoria, Sept. 14, 1878. se15

ELECTORS!
RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.
2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.
3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.
4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.
5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.

Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOOKE, LAKE SAANICH, COWICHAN, NANAIMO AND COMOX.

GENTLEMEN:—The very great favor with which my proposal to become a candidate for the representation of Vancouver District in the House of Commons has been received, although just on the eve of an election, and the satisfaction manifested by my numerous friends from Sooke to Comox, induce me to add my name to the number already soliciting your suffrages.

Several years have elapsed since I contested and nearly carried the seat for which I am again an aspirant. Then I was comparatively unknown and a stranger to many in the District. From 1872 to the present time the exercise of my duties as Superintendent of Education has brought me into personal contact with most of the electors. I trust that nearly seven years' educational work has secured for me such a reputation as will induce you to believe that if chosen as your representative at Ottawa I shall carry the same honesty of purpose, industry and energy into the political arena that my many friends in every part of the Province give me the credit of having shown in the establishment and conduct of our school system.

Experience and observation have only confirmed me in the political opinions which I had the honor to enunciate when prosecuting my canvass in the early days of Confederation. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by a change in the Government at Ottawa. I need hardly announce, therefore, that I am still faithful in my allegiance to the party of which Sir John A. Macdonald is the leader. At the same time, if elected, I cannot promise to give that great party, either in opposition or in possession of the Treasury Benches, a blind, unreasoning and slavish support; because it can easily be imagined that questions may arise when to do so would be detrimental to the best interests of your large and influential district. Those interests shall always be paramount to every party consideration.

The claims upon the Dominion Government for the construction of the Island Railway, in which you are particularly interested, must be held inviolate. While other districts have been filling up with industrious immigrants, the settlement of Vancouver has been retarded by the withdrawal of all the Crown lands from preemption in the railway belt, thus rendering it impossible to form an estimate of the injury, direct and indirect, that has been perpetrated by the "how-not-to-do-it" policy of the Mackenzie Administration.

The present Tariff is not suited to all sections of the Dominion. I believe that a measure can be devised that will be fair and equitable to all the Provinces, and tend to foster and encourage manufacturing, agricultural and other interests throughout Canada. Being quite alive to the necessity of great caution in dealing with this question, I will here assure the electors that, if successful at the polls, their interests shall be made paramount to every other consideration when the proper time arrives for legislating upon a subject of so much importance.

With regard to questions of a local nature, such as postal, telegraphic, marine, etc., etc., which may come under the purview of the general government, I will, if returned, omit no opportunity of representing your wants and claims at the proper time and in the proper quarter.

No time will be lost in prosecuting a personal canvass throughout the district, and whenever practicable public meetings will be held, which will enable me to enter more into detail on the above-mentioned subjects, and touch upon others that cannot be discussed in the space usually allotted to an address of this description.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your very ob't serv't,
JOHN JESSOP.

Victoria, 9th Sept., 1878. se10dw

MR. A. BUNSTER

Is a Candidate for the Commons in Vancouver District.

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MR. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy16

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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—In offering myself as a candidate for your suffrages I deem it incumbent on me to state that if returned to serve you in the Dominion Parliament I shall give an earnest support to the Liberal-Conservative party, led by Sir John A. Macdonald. At the same time I shall not support that or any other party who may fail to fulfil the conditions of the Terms of Union and the Carnarvon Settlement.

Railway Construction has been unnecessarily delayed by Mr. Mackenzie's Government, and the fair fame of Canada has been tarnished by the failure of that Government to fulfil the obligations contained in the Carnarvon Settlement and the Terms of Union. The line from Esquimalt to Nanaimo should be built and construction on the Mainland commenced at once. As to the adoption of any *particular route* for the Railway, we can only suggest. There is no doubt, in my mind, that the route by way of Bute Inlet to Esquimalt is the most desirable from a national and economic standpoint. I shall not fail to urge that fact upon the attention of the Canadian Government and Parliament; but should I fail to convince them of the advantages of the Bute-Esquimalt route over all others, I shall favor the immediate prosecution of work on the line wherever it may be located. Overland communication is of the utmost importance to this Province. DELAY MEANS STAGNATION, and British Columbia should be the last to place in Canada's hands an excuse for further delaying the commencement of railway construction, by insisting on the reopening of the surveys, when a memorial has just been passed by the Local Parliament demanding immediate commencement of the railway.

Isolated as we are, I consider the Canadian Tariff unsuited to this Province. That Tariff was accepted by British Columbia in 1872 in the anticipation of the early commencement of railway construction. That anticipation not having been realized, I shall press upon the notice of Canada the importance of granting the Province the right to regulate its own tariff until the completion of the railway. Whether that right be accorded or not, I shall press for adequate protection to the producers and manufacturers of the Province so that they may compete successfully in our markets with the products of old established communities.

My constant aim shall be to harmonize sectional differences and allay sectional prejudices. I shall endeavor to work with all the members from the Pacific Coast so as to ensure a solid vote in the House whenever British Columbia's rights are attacked.

Every effort compatible with the honor and dignity of the Province should be made to secure railway construction during the interval that will elapse before the period fixed in the memorial just forwarded by our Government for withdrawal from the Union shall have expired. Failing to secure our rights, I shall be prepared to demand not only separation but indemnity for damages sustained through the broken obligations of Canada.

I believe that Canada is in honor and equity bound to pay the Province £50,000 in aid of dry dock construction, and if elected I shall press for the fulfilment of that as well as every other obligation.

To legislate in the interest of a united province will be my constant aim, and if honored with your confidence I shall do my utmost at Ottawa to check the influx of the Chinese and their employment on public works within the Province.

In conclusion, I beg leave to thank the many electors who have expressed their appreciation of my reasons for declining to submit my claims to the consideration of a self-constituted convention; and beg to assure every one who may feel an interest in the welfare of the Province that I shall endeavor, if elected, to the utmost of my ability to prove myself worthy of the confidence reposed in me.

With this assurance I respectfully solicit your votes and influence, and

Remain, Gentlemen,
Yours obediently,
J. P. DAVIES.

Victoria, B.C., September 16th, 1878.

MR. FRANK PAGDEN

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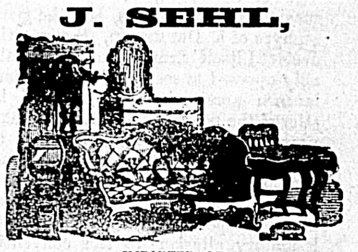
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WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 18TH, 1878.

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THE DOWNFALL OF THE CONVENTION.

The decision of Monday night's meeting is final. In spite of an attempt made to pack the meeting—in spite of the antics of a howling mob led by two members of the Local Parliament—in spite of the ranting of a BOND, the sophistry of a DECOSMOS, the soft pleadings of a WILBY, the flutelike persuasions of a WILLIAMS, and the gentle zephyrs of a DRUMMOND, the meeting declared itself firmly and unmistakeably opposed to secret cabals and dark-lantern nominations. No event has stirred the people of Victoria for many years as has the attempt to usurp the constitutional rights of the people and snatch from them a privilege which, in countries where the form of Government is semi-despotic, is not denied. Every laudatory allusion to the convention drew forth a sharp censure from the audience; and the labored efforts of the gentlemen who pulled the wires at the convention to make Mr. TODD responsible for the disreputable transaction were highly amusing. Think of the pure and guileless, unsophisticated and inexperienced Mr. DECOSMOS, who has passed nearly a quarter of a century in public life, being led into temptation by the wily and astute Mr. TODD, who has yet to serve an apprenticeship to politics! Picture the first-named gentleman, unable to resist the persuasive blandishments of his tempter, surrendering himself and his principles unconditionally into the hands of Mr. TODD and being led like a lamb to the conventional slaughter-house, and there hoodwinked, bonnetted, deceived, betrayed. What a subject for an artist's pencil is here presented. How vividly is brought to mind the scene in the Garden of Eden, where ADAM having partaken of the fruit (and liked it!) declared that he had been led into sin by EVE. If it be admitted that Mr. DECOSMOS' statement is correct—if we say that he was led, against his inclinations and convictions, by Mr. TODD into the commission of a grave political error, in what light must he be regarded? And how can he be expected to cope with and overcome what Mr. WALKEM terms the "master minds" at Ottawa, when the rights and wrongs of British Columbia are under review? If he is to be the unsuspecting victim of every tyro at politics in British Columbia, how can he make head against the experienced politicians of Canada? May not the present unfortunate state of our relations with Canada be traced to Mr. DECOSMOS' incompetency or his *penchant* for falling into traps? If it be true that Mr. DECOSMOS fell a victim to the inexperienced Mr. JACOB H. TODD at Victoria, how can he be expected to successfully withstand a seige conducted by ALEXANDER MACKENZIE or Sir JOHN MACDONALD at Ottawa?

As we have said, the meeting of Monday night was a triumph for the people. It was an assertion of a right—a principle—which no people could surrender with safety to themselves or the free institutions under which they live. To have allowed the wire-pullers of the convention to dictate who should or who should not be candidates would have rendered a resort to the ballot a superfluous proceeding. The convention was composed of thirty members, self-appointed. The thirty selected their candidates; but when those candidates were (unwillingly) dragged before a convention of 500 citizens they were repudiated. Now, which body is entitled to the most consideration—that which was composed of 30, or that which was composed of 500? Unhesitatingly we answer, the 500. To continue to flaunt Mr. DALBY'S colours in the face of the mass of the electors after the verdict of Monday night, would be to offer an insult to every elector in the district. The true policy of the "party" should be to discard a candidate who by no possible combination of circumstances can win the seat, and to either run Mr. DECOSMOS in single harness or take up a candidate who has a reasonable prospect of success. Of one thing we are very glad: the heel of Public Opinion has crushed the life out of caucuses and restored the nominating power to the hands of the people. The ballot may be safely trusted to do the rest.

ON TRIAL.

The attempt to mitigate the evils of Chinese labor is fairly on its trial in this Province. It has been continually asserted and believed that the presence of Chinese in large numbers is detrimental to the well-being of the white laboring classes of the Province. It has been asserted and believed that if every Chinaman were to leave the Province to-morrow his place would be immediately filled by a white man or woman able and willing to perform the same service at a fair and reasonable rate of compensation. It has been asserted and believed that any injury that might result from the sudden discharge of Chinese workmen would be but temporary, and that in the long run the entire country would be largely benefitted by the absence from our midst of the Mongolian race.

The Provincial Legislature quite recently passed an Act which professed to deal with this most difficult matter. It imposes an annual tax of $40, payable quarterly, upon every Chinaman resident in the Province. It was a crude and illdigested measure, and appears to have been drawn in the interest of large employers of Chinese labor with the especial object of securing its disallowance at Ottawa. We pointed out its crudities as it was passing through the House; but our suggestions went unregarded and the Bill received the Governor's assent and is now law. An effort to enforce its provisions is now being made, and in consequence all the Chinese employed till yesterday in the city have quit work. Ladies are doing their own kitchen and housework; restaurant and hotel-keepers their own cooking; heads of families sawing their own wood and blacking their own boots. Every occupation in which the Chinese have hitherto shone has been vacated by them. A Caucasian cannot purchase a bill of goods, or even a cigar or induce one for love or money to perform the most trifling service. This is all well and good. The Chinese no longer monopolize the labor market. The Kearneyism "the Chinese must go," must now be read in the past tense, for "the Chinese have gone." Some 250 situations are vacant in this town alone. Cooks, housemaids, chambermaids, laundresses, woodsawyers, boot and shoemakers, tailors, are in demand. The need is pressing and good wages will be paid. This the day and this the hour to prove that the Chinese are an unmixed evil and that if debarred from employment white men and women will spring to fill their places. The system is fairly on its trial. What say the white laboring classes?

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Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—A Vienna dispatch says that although recent announcements as to the intention of Gen. Phillipovich to send back his cavalry in consequence of the scarcity of fodder, had somewhat prepared the public mind for the retrograde movement, yet the news that the headquarters is about to retire to Brod, has produced almost a bewildering effect. The newspapers for obvious reasons refrain from criticism of the movement. The *Freindenblats* suggests as an explanation that Gen. Phillipovich wants to establish better communication with the other corps and Vienna during the winter. The same dispatch says that the announcement that Russia has asked Servia not to disband her troops is unfavorably commented on.

A dispatch from Pesth say there is much depression here in consequence of the determined resistance of the Bosnians. Hardly a family in Pesth but has some member in the army.

Belgrade accounts received say that 46 Bosnians and Servians and upwards of 200 Mussulmans have been executed at Serajivoa and the neighborhood during the past two weeks, and that the executions continue. These severities prevent the insurgents from submitting and have produced a deep and painful impression throughout Servia, as several of the victims were Servian merchants who were compelled to assist the insurgents during Hadje Lodja's administration.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 14.—As soon as the Russians evacuate Tchekinidje, Chattelja and Derkos Baker Pasha will complete the defense of the works on those lines and commence the construction of another line of defence near Constantinople.

VIENNA, Sept. 13.—Count Schouvaloff now here is charged to sound the Austrian government in regard to its steps for enforcing the Berlin treaty.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Gen. Todleben has had a farewell audience with the Sultan prior to his departure for Russia.

A Berlin dispatch says that Conservative journals show great vexation at the result of the election for officers of the Reichstag which signally expresses the helplessness of their party. The elections demonstrate that the limited conservatives cannot carry the House against united liberals except with the help of the Ultramontanes, but reconciliations with the latter seem as far off as ever. If the liberals act together they can defeat the anti-Socialist bill; but it is believed that some compromise will be made by which it will gain the support of moderate Liberals and secure the passage of the bill.

Afternoon Dispatch.

EUROPE.

PARIS, Sept. 16.—The Ottoman ambassador has delivered to Midhat Pasha a letter from the Sultan authorizing him to re-enter Turkish territory and reside in Crete, where he wishes to live with his family. Midhat Pasha will embark at Marseilles the present week in a Turkish vessel for Crete. He will be accorded a residence befitting his rank.

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—Debate was opened in the Reichstag to-day on the anti-Socialist Bill. Herr Richensporger, Ultramontane leader, declared himself opposed to the bill, but said his friends would not meet it in a purely negative spirit. He wished to have it referred to a committee. Herr Betzel, Socialist, denied that there was any connection between attempts against the Emperor's life and the Socialists. He declared that the Socialists did not desire abolition of property, but only its modification. Count Von Eulenburg showed that Nobeling had declared himself a Socialist. The Socialistic press had defended him and Hoedel, and had approved of the recent murders in Russia. Herr Bamber, Liberal, supported the bill. He thought Betzel's speech an incontrovertible proof of the necessity of taking measures.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 16.—It is stated that the Porte will not only accept England's programme of reforms for Asia Minor, but will shortly issue a proclamation extending it to the whole empire.

BELGRADE, Sept. 16.—Austrian reinforcements have commenced offensive operations against the insurgents by making intrenchments on the banks of the Save. Fighting so far is indecisive. Austrian losses between the 4th and 9th of September were about 100 officers and 3,000 men.

INDIA.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16.—Floods have destroyed upwards of 1000 houses in Sullinder, district of Punjaub.

Evening Dispatch.

CANADA.

NEW MARKET, Sept. 16.—The flood was very destructive in this section. Buildings floated off and milldams were carried away. An iron bridge on the Northern Railway was seriously damaged and thirteen others destroyed. A large amount of property was destroyed in Brantford. West Brantford was entirely submerged. The iron bridge across Grand River gave way yesterday and three men were drowned. At Galt there was a rainfall of six inches. The river overflowed and houses along its bank were greatly damaged. One person was drowned.

EUROPE.

PORTLAND, Eng., Sept 17.—Congdon and Melory, Fenians, were discharged from Portland prison this morning and immediately left for Southampton in charge of wardens, who will attend them until they are embarked on the steamer which sails to-day for New York.

VIENNA, Sept. 17.—Great and increasing irritation exists in Hungary over the situation of affairs in Bosnia. It is said that the credit of sixty million florins will be needed before that time, and an additional seventy million florins must be voted before the end of the year.

VIENNA, Sept. 17—It is reported the ambassadors of two powers have informed the Porte it is possible another Congress might be proposed to expedite the execution of the Berlin Treaty.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17. — The steamer Ancon, from Portland, reports that on the morning of the 15th in a thick fog she ran down the schooner Phil. Sheridan about 16 miles off Umpqua bar. The schooner sank in a few minutes. Passengers and crew were saved by the steamer.

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Parties may tender for the whole or the separate parts.
Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES SWINE, Architect.
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1878. se17

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN: — IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE action and nominations of the late Convention having been scattered to the winds by the resolutions adopted at both the public meetings recently held in this city, and also in response to the requisition I have received, I again come before you as a candidate for the honor of being one of your representatives in the House of Commons in the next Parliament of Canada. I desire as briefly as possible to state my views on the main political issues of the day.

To my mind the Railway question in importance to the whole Province overshadows all others, and next to the Railway in importance to Victoria District is the construction at Esquimalt of a first-class Graving Dock. If elected, I shall most strenuously assist in demanding from the Dominion Government the just rights of this Province in connection with these two vital questions.

In speaking of the rights of this Province on the Railway question—I mean, of course, in accordance with our last bargain with Canada, known as the Carnarvon Settlement. On that settlement I think we ought to take our stand and unflinchingly insist on obtaining our just rights. I shall expect no impossibilities; but I shall demand from the Canadian Government an earnest commencement and faithful prosecution in this Province of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Nothing short of this will fulfil the solemn treaty obligations of Canada to British Columbia. So far we have had plenty of promises from Canada, which, alas! to her shame and disgrace have been broken; and sooner than submit to be imposed on in the future as we have been in the past I would sever the cord that binds us to the Confederation. I sincerely hope, however, the day will never come when this or any other Province in the Dominion will be forced for self protection to adopt so high-handed a remedy.

With reference to the two political parties in Canada I believe the policy of the Liberal Conservative party best calculated to advance the true interests of our country, and to make it in deed, as well as in word, a great and prosperous Dominion. I further believe that in Sir John Macdonald, the Hon. H. L. Langevin and the Hon. S. L. Tilley we have true friends—men who have the heart and ability to carry out the liberal and advanced plans of the deeply lamented statesman Sir Geo. Cartier, whose rallying cry was, "All aboard for the West!"

If elected, it shall be my pleasure to give that party a hearty support, providing they extend to this Province what is fair, right and just. I consider our first duty is to ourselves as British Columbians, and that if we are united and true to our own interests and act as one man in demanding simple justice we shall prevail. I shall aim to harmonize our own contending sectional elements, so as to make our power as a Province felt, always remembering that "united we stand, divided we fall."

On the question of Tariff I believe a readjustment would be of advantage to this Province, as in that readjustment the Province may succeed in obtaining a Special Tariff to meet our wants, to continue in force until such time as we have direct communication with the Eastern Provinces by means of the Canadian Pacific Railroad.

On the question of the Route of Railway I am most decidedly in favor of that by Bute Inlet, with Esquimalt as the Terminus, and shall vote and work for that line. But if I see we cannot get the line by that route, I shall do the next best thing and accept the actual commencement of construction wherever the Government of the day determines to begin, knowing full well that Victoria will be largely benefitted thereby.

With reference to the Graving Dock question, I think the correspondence clearly shows that Canada agreed to pay to British Columbia $250,000 in aid of that work, and that her refusal to do so is a gross breach of faith.

If you do me the honor of electing me to a seat in the House of Commons I shall do my best to further the interests of British Columbia as a whole, and of Victoria District in particular; and whilst doing so I shall endeavor to show such an interest in the affairs of the Dominion generally as not to be looked on as having solely the interests of British Columbia at heart.

If the foregoing views meet with your approval, I respectfully ask your support.

I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,
J. H. TODD.
Victoria, Sept. 17th, 1878. se18

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VANCOUVER DISTRICT — POLITICAL MEETINGS.

MR. A. J. McLELLAN

WILL MEET THE ELECTORS AT COMOX ON Thursday, 19th inst., at 7½ o'clock p. m., at the School. At Maple Bay on Tuesday, 24th inst., at 12 o'clock m. At Cowichan, at Mr. Kinnear's, at 12 o'clock m. on the 25th inst. se17dw2w

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se17dw3m GILBERT TOMPKINS.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria City, To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Seventeenth day of August, 1878, I require the presence of the said electors in front of the Police Barracks, Bastion Street, in the City of Victoria, on Friday, the 4th day of the month of October, 1878, from Noon until Two of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating two persons to represent them in the House of Commons of Canada: and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on Monday, the 21st day of the month of October, in the year 1878, from the hour of Nine in the morning till Five of the clock in the afternoon, in each of the Polling Districts, that is to say:—

No. 1. At the County Court Room, Bastion street, Victoria, for Victoria City.
No. 2. At the Richmond, Mount Tolmie Road, for Victoria District.
No. 3. At Parson's Bridge, for Esquimalt and Metchosin Districts.

And further, that on Monday the 21st day of October, at 6 o'clock p. m., I shall open the Ballot Boxes, sum up the votes given for the several candidates and return as elected the two having the majority of votes.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand this 16th day of September, in the year 1878.
THOS. HARRIS,
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NOTICE.

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THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned, carrying on business as wholesale merchants in Victoria, under the firm name of Strouss, Briggs, Kurtz & Co.; and in London, England, under the firm name of C. Strouss & Co., having expired by limitation, the firm is dissolved. Parties having claims against the firm will present the same for payment at the office, Wharf street; and all those indebted are hereby notified that over-due accounts and notes not paid before the 10th of October, 1878, will be handed to an Attorney for collection. Mr. Jas. McB. Smith is hereby appointed to collect all outstandings, and authorized to grant receipts in the name of the late firm.
Dated at Victoria, September 13, 1878.
DAVID KURTZ,
THOS. L. BRIGGS,
C. STROUSS.
se15-1m { E. BLOOMINGDALE, by his Attorney, J. McB. SMITH.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING OBLIGED TO leave the Province on account of ill health, begs leave to tender his most heartfelt thanks to his numerous customers for the kind patronage bestowed upon him since 1862.
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se15-2w J. E. MEYER.

A By-Law to amend the By-Law Entitled a By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner.

WHEREAS FOR SOME TIME THE OFFICES of City Surveyor, Engineer of the Water Works and Water Works Commissioner have respectively been held by one person;
And whereas the said office of Water Works Commissioner has recently been separated from the said other offices, and it is desirable that a person other than the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer should be appointed thereto;
And whereas it is expedient to increase the amount of compensation to be paid to the said City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer for his service in those capacities;
Be it, therefore, enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:
1. Thomas Russell, Esquire, Collector and Assessor of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, is hereby appointed Water Works Commissioner.
2. Whilst the said Thomas Russell shall continue to hold the office of Assessor and Collector of the said City of Victoria, he shall receive no salary or remuneration as Water Works Commissioner.
3. Section 2 of the By-Law entitled, "A By-Law to fix the compensation of the City Surveyor and Water Works Commissioner," is hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not revive any By-Law, or section of By-Law repealed by said Section 2. In lieu of the said Section 2, the following clauses shall be inserted:
The City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer shall, whilst he shall continue to be employed, receive as remuneration a salary at the rate of One hundred and twenty-five dollars per month.
This By-Law may be cited as "The Water Works Commissioner any City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer Salary By-Law, 1878."
Passed the Municipal Council this 11th day of September, 1878.
R. FINLAYSON, Mayor.
{SEAL} WILLIAM LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council.
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Daily Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 18TH, 1878.

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TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Political Meeting at Cedar Hill.

A political meeting convened by Mr. DeCosmos was held at Cedar Hill Schoolhouse last night. At 7:30 o'clock, the hour for which the meeting was called, there were very few present, and at 8 p.m. the number of farmers in attendance was only some seven or eight. Shortly afterwards, however, the audience was augmented by a party from Victoria, amongst whom were F. Saunders, J. S. Drummond, M.P.P., and W. Jackson. Mr. J. Deans was voted to the chair.

Mr. DeCosmos, whilst regretting the paucity of the attendance, dilated on the railway clause of terms of Union and reviewed and condemned Mr. Mackenzie's railway policy. He believed the people here were justly incensed against Mr. Mackenzie's government on this account. The Government had had means at its command. He was one of those who would support the determination of the House to separate, although he would do so with a certain amount of regret. With reference to the construction of the line from Yale to Savona's ferry he was of opinion that it was proper that portion of the railway should be built if it was intended as compensation for delays; not, however, if it was intended to take the place of the line *via* Bute Inlet, which he believed to be the only proper route for adoption He then quoted from Sanford Fleming's report, which he said differed very materially from Mr. Marcus Smith's report. Admiral DeHorsey had also condemned the Burrard Inlet *route*. He therefore thought it was the duty of electors to return members who would contend for the construction of the railway *via* Bute Inlet. He would be found a supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party. He then proceeded to review the dry dock policy of the Dominion Government, and pledged himself to urge that the promised advances should be made. He was an advocate of protection to Provincial industries, and pledged himself to do his utmost to obtain a revision of the tariff. With respect to the Chinese, he heartily concurred in the bill to tax them and said that the strike amongst them showed that there was a combination between them from the richest to the poorest. A report had been circulated that he should not go to Ottawa because he had been there too long; (A voice—"So you have; and done nothing") but he would leave it to the electors to judge whether he had worked for their interests or not.

Mr. J. P. Davies, who was well received, said that he believed he was a pretty good business man and in a short time would make a successful politician. He was pleased that Mr. DeCosmos had enunciated facts almost similar to those stated in his (Mr. Davies') address. He was in favor of a protective tariff for the agricultural and other local interests. He denied the statement that he was a supporter of Mr. Mackenzie, and asserted that he was working for British Columbia alone. He was in favor of keeping the Chinese out of the country. If vegetables could not be procured without the aid of Chinamen, let the people for a time do without them. Let the females be put to housework in place of the Celestials and let the boys be afforded a chance to learn trades. He then referred to his long residence in the Province and assured the electors that if returned he would be found working in the true interests of the country.

Mr. Geo. Deans asked Mr. Davies if he did not own land on Fraser River valley?

Mr. Davies replied, "No;" but two of his children and a grandchild owned 160 acres and a lot on Lulu Island. He would be glad to dispose of the land to Mr. Deans at half what it cost him.

Mr. Drummond—Are you not running with Mr. Elliott as a Mackenzie man?

Mr. Davies said the report was utterly untrue; it mattered not from whom it emanated. Only recently heads of departments here had been instructed by the Dominion Government to withhold patronage from him in any shape or form. He supposed that was because he was a Mackenzie man! (Cheers).

Mr. Deans asked if he was not in favor of a free port for Victoria?

Mr. Davies said, No. A free port was not beneficial to the farmer and consequently he could not support it. In reply to Mr. Drummond he said he did not hire a Chinaman; but he would hire him (Drummond) if he wanted a job. He did not think, however, that he would steal his wages (as insinuated by Mr. Drummond) because he believed Mr. Drummond too lazy and indolent to work, and consequently never would have a cent due him. (Loud laughter). In reply to Mr. F. Saunders, he said he would do all in the power of man to obtain construction *via* Bute because he believed that to be the proper route for the railway.

Mr. Saunders wanted Mr. Davies to pledge himself to vote for that *route* and no other.

Mr. Davies said whilst he would do everything in his power in favor of the Bute Inlet *route*, he would not be so absurd as to say that he would oppose the *route* decided on by the engineers should that happen to be some other than Bute.

In the event of Bute being condemned he would not say to the Dominion Government, if you won't build the line there, you shan't build it anywhere else.

Mr. Dalby declared himself a supporter of the Macdonald party and expressed himself in favor of a fulfilment of the Carnarvon Terms or Separation. He spoke in favor of a modification of the tariff so as to protect farmers. He approved of the action of the local House.

In reply to Mr. Bramwell, Mr. Dalby said he owned shares in the Belmont Tannery Co. Mr. Davies also held shares in the Belmont Company.

Mr. Saunders said that if such was the case he did not see why Mr. Dalby should be condemned and Mr. Davies let off free.

Mr. Davies said he was induced to subscribe for five shares at a cost of $500. It was the blackest swindle he had ever known.

Mr. Bunster being called on asked the electors to support Mr. DeCosmos, who had proved himself a true Columbian. He would ask them to take it into their consideration and send a good man with Mr. DeCosmos—a man who had some interest in the country and who, if he damaged the Province, damaged himself. That man he thought should be J. P. Davies. (Cheers.) He believed Mr. Davies was just as certain of going to Ottawa as he (Mr. B.) was. (Hear, hear.)

The hon. gentleman was frequently interrupted by Mr. Jackson and Mr. Saunders from Victoria.

Resuming, Mr. Bunster again reminded the electors that it well behooved them to choose men of sound principle and resolution to represent them at Ottawa—men that would not deceive them. He then alluded to the removal of the steel rails to the Mainland, and said that if all British Columbians had the same blood in their veins as he, not a single rail would have ever left the Island. He believed it wanted men of experience to deal with the political tricksters at Ottawa and that Mr. Mackenzie, with his obstructive policy, had retarded British Columbia more than five years.

The hon. gentleman, being again continuously interrupted by pointless remarks from Mr. Jackson (cattle dealer), such as, "Pass your card into room No. 13," "What has that got to do about the dry dock?" "Go it, old hoss!" &c., &c., declined to address the meeting at greater length, and said it was disgraceful that public men should be insulted whilst expressing their views to the electors.

Mr. Bunster, having resumed his seat, a vote of thanks was passed to the chair, and for the use of the school-house, and the meeting then dissolved.

On Strike.

A total suspension of business amongst every class of Chinese in the city commenced yesterday. The stores throughout Chinatown were closed, the merchants refusing to sell goods to any white person, and laundrymen relinquishing their daily occupation; the wagons of vegetable peddlers ceased to run and cooks deserted the posts hitherto filled by them in restaurants and private dwelling-houses. The *employes* of the Belmont Boot and Shoe Factory and those of other establishments declined to go to work, and in consequence of the strike orders for manufactures remain unfilled. The saw of the wood cutter was allowed to repose on its nail, and the hum of the tailors' sewing machines was heard no more. In one instance, a Chinaman who for many years has been employed by a well known citizen, recommended his *quondam* master to apply to "Mistel Walkem to sweep out his house, Jim Lummond to black his boots and Mistel Bleaven to scrub the floor, polish the stove and clean the fish for dinner." The reply given by the *trio* was couched in the most courteous language. Instructions have been forwarded by the leading Chinese firms in this city to their countrymen on the Mainland requesting them to abstain from working in any capacity whatsoever for white persons. The trials of the house-wife commenced yesterday as she was compelled by the desertion of her Chinese help to perform the manifold duties hitherto devolving on John, the household *factotum*. It is stated on good authority that the Chinese have clubbed together and engaged Messrs. Drake & Jackson and A. R. Robertson, Esq., Q. C., to commence an action for trespass against the collector or bailiff. It is also assorted that an injunction has been served on that officer restraining him from further levying on Chinese goods or disposing of those already seized.

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San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—Ophir, 54½; Mexican, 57½; G. & C. 18⅞; B. & B. 34½; Cala., 14½; Savage, 17⅞; Con. Va., 16½; Chollar, 46½; H. & N., 14½; Point, 9⅝; Jacket, 24½; Imperial, $1; Alpha, 14½; Belcher, 9⅜; Kentuck, 7¾; Confidence, 8⅞; S. Nev., 166; Utah, 44; Bullion, 12⅝; Seg. Belcher, 37; Overman, 15½; Justice, 10; Succor, 170; Union, 106; Excheq. 5½; Utah, 44½; Chollar, 46½; Alta, 13⅜.

CHARTERED.—The bark Hazelhurst, Capt. Goudey, has been chartered by the firm of Wing Chong & Co. to convey a number of Chinamen hence to Hong Kong. The vessel was inspected yesterday by Capt. Cooper, Department Marine and Fisheries, and the number of Chinamen who will be permitted to take passage on board will not exceed 200. Previous to departure the Hazelhurst will proceed to Nanaimo, and there receive about 1,000 tons of coal, the Chinamen subsequently occupying quarters 'tween decks.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly left about 8 a.m. yesterday for Comox and way ports with the mails, a heavy freight and the following passengers:—Mrs. Jones, Miss Allatt, Mrs. Randle, Miss Randle, Messrs. R. Chandler, D. Wingate, J. Harvey, C. Carpenter, Rev. Hall, J. G. Pimbury, Morgan, Rev. R. J. Roberts, R. P. Roberts, N. Anderson, Urquhart, J. Randle, McCreight, and T. L. Fawcett.

THE POUND BY-LAW.—Voting on the By-law to curtail the limits of the Pound By-law took place yesterday and the By-law was lost by a vote of 65 ayes to 87 noes. Very little interest was taken. Animals found running at large within the corporate limits will be impounded.

FERNANDO WOOD ON TRADE.—Fernando Wood, a leading New York politician, said to a *Tribune* reporter he thought we were on the eve of the greatest prosperity the American people have seen. He favors Canadian reciprocity.

VEGETABLES.—Several white pedlars of vegetables have started wagons and intend to supply families at reasonable rates.

THE Royal Commission will sit at 11 o'clock to-day to examine Mr. George Deane from Walla Walla.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

A d. and d. Indian was fined $2.50, or in default a week's imprisonment.

Roderick Macdougall, charged with having unlawfully assaulted Michael Wells.

The prosecutor sworn, testified that on Saturday night the defendant assaulted him by striking him in the face and biting his finger.

The defendant said that the row between him and the prosecutor arose from his (prosecutor) stating that the Bakers had got another contract, and that he (defendant) would get more work for his vote. Wells repeated this three times and then defendant said, "If you say that again I'll slap your face." Wells struck at him and then they clinched. Wells stuck his nails into his face, and he (defendant) then got one of Wells' fingers into his mouth and held it there—closed down on it. After clinching for a time they were separated.

William Haley testified that he was a witness to the disturbance that took place between prosecutor and defendant. After a good deal of chaff, and it being insinuated by Wells that Macdougall would get work for his vote, defendant struck Wells, as he was sitting down, several times. Wells then got up and a kind of a fight ensued, in which Macdougall got Wells' finger in his mouth. Defendant refused to let go although Wells called out, "he's biting my finger off," several times. Witness then went up and said to Macdougall, "let go Wells' finger." He wouldn't do so, but continued to hang on to it like a dog. Witness then caught defendant by the neck and choked him off. Afterwards he separated them.

The defendant here applied for a remand for the production of evidence, which was granted.

County Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

TUESDAY, Sept. 17th.

Giesselman & Bossi vs. Moody.—This was an action brought to recover $160 damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiffs to their business, &c., during the erection of a second story by defendant over premises previously occupied by them on Yates street. The case was originally submitted to the arbitration of E. Grancini, Esq., before whom plaintiffs laid their damages at $90. The arbitrator gave a decision in favor of plaintiffs for some $65. To this arbitration the defendant subsequently demurred and the present proceedings were consequently instituted. Mr. Drake, Q.C., (Drake & Jackson) appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr. A. R. Robertson, Q.C., for the defendant. The hearing of evidence occupied the attention of the Court for several hours and at 4:30 p.m. the case was adjourned until next week.

More Mining Enterprise.

By the steamer Dakota, Mr. Jas. McB. Smith imported from London a labor-saving machine known as Jordan's hand-power rock drill, and intended for use in the quartz mines of Cariboo. It is the latest patent of a rock drill, worked by hand and compressed air power; comparatively light and very compact. The machine, with fly-wheel complete in working order, weighs only 420 pounds, and is capable of boring holes from 1 inch to 4 inches in diameter, at any angle, and to any required depth for blasting. The air in the cylinder can be compressed to any extent, and with the power of two men 150 blows of about 130 to 160 lbs each can be delivered. As stated in the circular: "It will drill, when worked by two men, a 1¼ in. hole in granite at about 1½ to 2 in. per minute, or at the rate of 80 or 90 inches per hour. In soft stone, such as Portland or sandstone, the rate of the machine increases to about 6 or 7 inches per minute." Mr. Smith has moved the drill to a bluff point of hard rock, and intends giving it a practical test before shipping it to the interior. Should it prove as represented it will be a great saving of labor in running bedrock tunnels, and extracting quartz, and a most valuable auxiliary in the development of our mines.

THE steamer Enterprise started about 9 a.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Eckstein, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Willan, Miss McKinlay, Mr. Keogh, Rev. Derrick, Capt. Price, and Messrs. Bennett, M. P. P., Alison, Peele, A. Jacobson, D. Gillanders, D. Trow and several others.

THE steamer W. G. Hunt left about 9:30 a.m. yesterday with a heavy freight and Mrs. C. Chadsey, Rev. Mr. Bryant, Messrs. J. Brown, D. Robson, McColl, Cohen, C. Chadsey, Hendry, Cowie, R. Irving, and several others as passengers.

DOMINION ELECTIONS.—We anticipate the receipt of something like approximate returns of the Dominion elections to-day. Both sides were confident of success at latest mail dates.

MR. TODD.—It will be seen that Mr. J. H. Todd, responding to the almost unanimous repudiation of the convention candidates, has decided to come forward as a candidate for the Commons.

TO GAOL.—It is reported that the lower class of Chinese have decided to go to gaol and work out their tax on the roads in preference to paying it.

DETAINED.—Outward bound steamers were detained yesterday morning after their usual schedule time by the prevalence of a dense fog.

The Chinese Tax.

The Chinese! the Chinese! what relief do they cause!
And so would they always if 'twere not for the laws;
But a member of Parliament troubles our land
By deliv'ring a speech which is solemn and grand.

From this speech the wise members much comfort derive
And cry, "Long may this just tax flourish and thrive;"
But the ladies! ah! who shall their just woe describe!
They declare 'gainst this tax they will rise in a tribe.

They glance at their fingers, so slender and white,
And opine that they'll now have to work with their might;
(For the Chinese won't stay, ah no! that we can't hope!
To be tied by a tax as if tied by a rope.)

But the ladies determine that if they should meet
With a Parliament member in house or in street,
Remorseless they'll cut one so cruel and bold,
And their anger and grief in a look shall be told.

A SUFFERER.

A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR GAINED.—Save your money by going to W. Harrison for your Photo-Albums, Blank Books, Envelopes, Writing Paper, &c. The whole miscellaneous stock will be *closed out at reduced prices*. Don't make any mistake; this is the cheapest place to buy your Stationery. Buy a lot of goods and get them cheap. The Stock, Fixtures and Goodwill of this store, doing a safe and steady business, are for sale at actual cost value.—W. HARRISON, next to Post Office, Victoria, B.C. d&w*

Socotra.

Britain's Latest Acquisition—Commanding the Entrance to the Red Sea.

The island of Socotra, after many vicissitudes, has definitely become a British possession. The valleys embosomed in the mountain ranges in the interior are represented as extremely fertile, and capable of producing all manner of sub-tropical grains and fruits. The lower hill-sides, moreover, afford excellent grazing grounds for camels, donkeys, cattle, and sheep, with wild goats on the higher ranges. Of late years the population has gradually dwindled away, but one time it comprised 10,000 fighting men. Between the tenth and sixteenth centuries the dominant religion was Christianity as professed by the Nestorian Church; but by the middle of the seventeenth century the prevalent rites included adoration of the moon. After the evacuation of the island by the Portuguese it passed into the hands of the Sultan of Keshin, from whom it was taken by the East India Company in 1835. On the capture of Aden in 1839 the detachment of native troops was withdrawn from Socotra, but in 1876 the Sultan was constrained to acknowledge the supremacy of England, receiving an annual *douceur* of $1000. During the late disturbances of the political atmosphere it was judged advisable to retake complete possession of the island, and Socotra is now an integral portion of the Anglo-Indian Empire, and will be administered by Anglo-Indian officers. In conjunction with Aden on the opposite coast, and with Perim in mid-channel, Socotra commands the entrance and exit of the Red Sea. It is also in a position to supply the garrison of Aden with fresh meats and an abundance of fruits and vegetables, thus rendering that important station independent of the caprices of the semi-barbarous chief, from whose territories it has hitherto maintained its commissariat. Here, then, is another splicing of "the broken thread of England's old Imperial policy."

Russia's Great Gain.

Mr. John Trevor Barkley, writing to the *Times*, says that the country which has most cause to be satisfied with the Berlin and Anglo-Turkish convention, and which is probably destined to derive eventually the most benefit from these arrangements, is Russia. But he make this assertion for very different reasons from those which led the opposition to speak in the same tone. After sketching the beneficial changes which the new relations to the Turkish provinces in Europe and Asia assumed by Austria and England are likely to procure for the inhabitants, ensuring them improved administration and protection from invasion, he repeats that the treaty is good for Russia, not because it gives her a portion of Armenia, and a wretched strip of Bessarabian territory—acquired under deplorable and humiliating circumstances—but because its provisions, taken in connection with England's independent actions, are framed with the view of discouraging her in future from undertaking unwise and unjust invasions by rendering them too hazardous. That it is this consideration, he adds, which has reconciled her best men to the present settlement, cannot be reasonably doubted. Unwise men dictated the San Stefano treaty—men who were possessed of the motives and ambitions which have gone far to inflict irreparable injury on their country.—*Ex.*

A STORY is current in Moscow *apropos* of Russian official routine, which, whether literally true or not, certainly illustrates to profection the character of the prevailing system. An operatic star of some note, connected with one of the principal theatres, wishing to make a short excursion into the country, went to get her passport countersigned by the local authorities. The presiding officer received her politely and, having learned her business, enquired for her "written petition." "My written petition!" cried the lady, "I have none; I never knew that anything of the kind was required." "Not required, madam? On the contrary, nothing could be done without it." "What am I to do, then? "Nothing easier; be good enough to take this sheet and write according to my dictation." The applicant obeyed, and transcribed word for word a formal petition requesting leave of absence from the city for a stated time, which was then duly signed, folded, and sealed. "And now," quoth the man in office, "you have only to deliver it." "To whom, pray?" "To whom?" echoed the official, with a slight smile at the absurdity of the question, "to me, of course." The document was accordingly handed across the table. The great man adjusted his spectacles, broke the seal, gravely read over his own composition from beginning to end, folded it with methodical slowness, and then turning to the impatient artiste, said with an air of official solmenity. "Madam, I have read your petition, and regret to tell you that I am unable to grant it."

GOOD WHEN 300 YEARS OLD.—Queen Victoria rarely accepts presents from her subjects in the United Kingdom, but she has just made an exception to that rule. A gentleman begged Her Majesty to accept some Cyprus wine upwards of 300 years old, and she has acceded to his request. It may be mentioned that "Commander" wine of Cyprus, the best in the Island, is not fit to drink till at least 50 years old, when it is in perfection. It is even then so strong that it is drank out of small liqueur glasses.

GEM ALBUMS can be had at the new Photograph gallery by calling at once and registering your name. Albums will arrive on Saturday, September 28rd. *

Hints to Young Farmers.

When commencing your agricultural life, remember that industry, economy, and integrity will ensure success, and form the best capital that can be employed.

Plow deep. The wealth of the soil is not within six inches of the surface

Cultivate thoroughly if you wish to reap abundantly. Do not waste your means, and fritter away your time by raising a crop of noxious weeds with your cane or cotton or corn.

Keep a watchful eye upon the farm and its surroundings. But it does not follow that you should imbibe "eye-openers" at public houses, beer-shops or corner groceries.

Shear your sheep at the season when you shed your coat for the season. Then be careful that some smart "travelling agent" does not pull the wool over your eyes and shear you.

Dress your lands with fertilizers rather than yourself with broadcloth. The one reimburses the amount expended with interest—the other returns nothing, but continually clamors for further disbursements.

After your crops have been raised, it will be wisdom to raise any mortgage which may be resting upon the farm. This will raise a heavy load from your mind, and raise your courage and spirits beyond measure.

Do not curryfavor with the rich or great. If you must do something of the kind, just curry your cattle and horses. This will do them good and benefit you also.

When by reason of inclement weather, you cannot cultivate the soil, it will be wisdom on your part to cultivate the mind. A valuable harvest will reward all earnest and faithful culture.

STATESMEN OF JEWISH BLOOD.—It has been said that if Beaconsfield were made a duke he would be the first of Jewish blood that has ever borne the equivalent of that title since the dispersal: but this is a mistake. Don Joseph Nassi, descendant of a Spanish family, that fled from the torments of the Inquisition, rose to great eminence three centuries ago at the court of the Sultan and as a reward for his services received the island of Naxos. It is a remarkable fact that the island of Cyprus, which the Jewish Prime Minister of England has just won for his country from Turkey, was wrested in 1751, by Hassi, the Jewish Prime Minister of Turkey, from the Venetian republic. Beaconsfield is not the only earl, either, that is of Hebrew blood and flourishing to-day. An Italian Israelite, named Camondo who had expended a large part of a great fortune in charity, and had won a name like George Peabody, was created an Earl years ago by Victor, and the Earls of Camondo are found now in Turin, Paris, and Constantinople.

THE MILK TREATMENT.—An English gentleman says:—"For sixteen years I was a cripple from gout, and I never knew what a month was without a serious attack, when someone told me to eat what I liked, but to drink nothing but milk. I have done this for ten months, and have not had a twinge."

IDIOTS.—The number of idiots to every thousand of the population is, in Germany, 23; in England, 31; in Denmark and Sweden, 22; in Norway, 30; in Switzerland, 29; in Belgium, 14; in France, 26, and in Italy and the United States, 16.

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

WARRANTED FOR EVER.—The manufacturer of the Raymond Sewing Machines now issues a certificate of warranty to all purchasers of sewing machines of his manufacture. The "Raymond" has been for ten years in constant use by the British Columbia public. They give unqualified satisfaction; they do everything; they do it well. Every new improvement is attached to the "Raymond." Its popularity and its sales increase. Call and see the "guarantee" which is furnished with each "Raymond" Sewing Machine. A new supply of these unequalled machines recently received. A. B. Gray & Co., sole agents for British Columbia.

N. B.—Attachments for all kinds of sewing machines on hand, including new descriptions of hemmers, tuckers, frillers, etc. *

MUSIC.—Mr. Digby Palmer, teacher of the Pianoforte, Singing and Thorough Bass, having returned from Puget Sound, will be happy to see his pupils and patrons. Pianofortes tuned and kept in tune by the year. Fort street. Or orders left on the slate at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Government street. *

NON-ELECTRO-PLATING.—For Plating all articles of Brass, Copper and German Silver with pure Silver. Will restore the plating when worn off from silver-plated ware and clean and polish it. Warranted to contain no Quicksilver, Acid or Poison For sale by M. W. WAITT & Co. *dw

OWING to the great rush at the new photograph gallery, the proprietors are compelled to postpone closing until Tuesday, September 24th. *

BUY PENDRAY'S SOAP.—It is the best and cheapest in the market, will cleanse thoroughly without hurting the fabric or hands. For sale at all the principal Groceries; wholesale at the Factory, Humboldt street, Victoria. *

NEW AUTUMN GOODS.—FIRST ARRIVAL. NOW OPENING.—A general assortment, including Dress Fabrics, and the latest styles in Ladies' and Children's black and colored Cloth. etc., Paletots.

* THOS WILSON & Co.

CORSETS from $1 per pair; extra quality buff pique, 25c. per yard.

WABREN & YORK, Fort Street. *

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

TAKE NOTICE.

Ex Dakota I have received the celebrated Philadelphia Lawn Mower; Borrien's Mechanical Plaiter, Fluter, and Ruffler; Johnson's Plaiter; also, a large stock of the world-renowned first prize Osborn A Machines. The manufacturers of the Osborn machines issue a genuine certificate of warranty for five years to all purchasers, *but not for eternity*. Parties desiring machines or fittings can depend upon satisfaction by applying at the agency where is to be found the largest assortment of Machines, Needles, and Attachments in the Province. Repairs to machines neatly executed. In stock, Florence Family and Manufacturing, Grover & Baker Family and Manufacturing;

Howe,	Guelph,
Lockman,	Webster,
Secore,	Wheeler & Wilson,
New American,	Raymond No. 1,
Elliptic,	Common Sense,
Bartlett,	Florence,
Singer,	Home Shuttle,
Gresham,	Wanzer.
New Wilson,	

THOMAS FLETCHER,
Fort street, Victoria.

A Remarkable Case.

A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

DR. COOL'S SAPONACEOUS TOOTH PASTE, prepared and sold by A. B. Cooke, Yates and Broad streets *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS

AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Salesroom, Fireproof Building,

YATES STREET, - VICTORIA, B. C.

☞ Liberal Advances made on Consignments.

☞ To facilitate the Sale of Real Estate we have complete Maps of Victoria, Esquimalt, New Westminster and the Districts.

N. B—Parties desirous of selling their Stock, Stock in-Trade, or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble o an Auction Sale, can find a Cash Buyer alling on the above.

Auction Sale.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Will sell at their Salesrooms, Yates St.

Thursday, Sept. 19th, 1878,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

A Quantity of

FURNITURE

Stoves, Matting, Picture Frames, &c.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se17 Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE.

The undersigned have received instructions from

F. G. VERNON, ESQ.,

To sell by Public Auction at his residence James Bay, on

Wednesday the 25th Septr.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.

All his MAGNIFICENT FURNITURE, comprising, Drawing Room Suites, Solid Walnut Frames handsomely carved and covered with Blue Silk Rep, Marble Topped Centre Tables, Mirrors, etc. Dining Room Furniture, Side Board, a (Specialty) Pillar Extension Dining Table, Chairs, Bedroom Sets in Walnut, Marble Topped, Spring and other Mattresses, etc.

One PONY CARRIAGE, and a set of Single Harness, new, Silver Mounted.

—ALSO—

A TOP-BUGGY in good condition.

The Furniture can be seen between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., Tuesday, 24th.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se17dw Auctioneers.

C. F. BEAVEN,

CARRIAGE MAKER,

PANDORA ST, OPP. BROAD, VICTORIA.

HAS ON HAND OR IN COURSE OF construction a number of

CARRIAGES AND LIGHT BUGGIES

TOP-BUGGIES A SPECIALTY,

CAN BE SOLD CHEAPER AND ARE AS GOOD AS THOSE IMPORTED.

PAINTING AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
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AUCTION SALES.

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AND

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Wharf Street, near Yates,

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We call particular attention to the facilities of our Cattle Sale Yard, centrally located on Fort Street. The best accommodations can be found for every class of Stock that may be offered for sale. This establishment is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast.

☞ N. B. Parties desirous of Selling their Stock, Stock in Trade or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble of an Auction Sale can find a Cash Buyer by calling on the above.

THIS DAY,

YATES ST., ABOVE BLANCHARD.

HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE!

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell, at the above residence, on

Wednesday, Sept. 18th, 1878,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

Walnut Bedroom Sets, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Sheets, Blankets, Quilts, Carpets, Curtains, Pictures, Looking Glasses, Chairs, Tables, Sofas, Couches, Traveling Chests, Dressing Japan Cabinet, Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Dining-room Furniture, Kitchen requisites, Carpenter and other Tools, etc., etc.

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AUCTION.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

On the premises, Yates St., of

STOCK-IN-TRADE & FIXTURES.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have been instructed by Mr. J. E. MEYER to sell at Public Auction

On Wednesday, Sept. 18, '78,

AT 12:30 O'CLOCK,

The following articles:—

4 Fine Looking Glasses, 2 Barber Chairs, Lounge, Mahogany-top Washstand, Stove with Brass Boiler, Tables, Oilcloth, Cocoa Matting, Glass Case, Kitchen Stove, Bedsteads, &c., &c.

And Stock-in-Trade, consisting of Perfumery, Soap, Imitation Hair, &c., &c.

ALSO—Gas Fixtures, Show Cases, Shelving, 1 French Organ (13 tunes) etc.

TERMS CASH.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se16 Auctioneers.

AUCTION.

The undersigned have received instructions to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

For account of whom it may concern,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

On Saturday, Sept. 21, 1878,

At Salesroom, Wharf Street, the

SCHOONER EXPERIMENT,

As she now lies near Colvin & Co.'s Shipyard.

—ALSO—

Anchor, Chains, Sails, Rigging and Blocks.

1 BOAT with OARS and ROWLOCKS, Ship's Side Light, Compasses, &c., &c.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se17 Auctioneers.

REAL ESTATE SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions to sell, by Public Auction, at Salesroom, Wharf street,

Tuesday, Septr. 24th, 1878,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Town Lot 1728, Superior street, James Bay, situate in the rear of the Government Buildings.

Also, 2 Acres, part of Section Seven, Saanich Road, close to Dr. Tolmie.

This fine piece of alder bottom land is known as the Institute property.

Deeds at buyer's expense. Terms Cash.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se13 Auctioneers.

A. J. LANGLEY. H. L. JONES.

LANGLEY & CO.,

PRACTICAL CHEMISTS

YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

Importers and dealers in

ASSAYERS' MATERIALS,

ACIDS & CHEMICALS.

SPECIAL CARE TAKEN TO IMPORT SUCH articles as the mining interests of British Columbia demand, such as

IRON AND CLAY FURNACES,

For Melting and Cupelling, Mufflers, Blowpipes, Sand, Black Lead and other Crucibles,

CUPEL AND CUPEL MOULDS, MORTARS AND PESTALS, GLASS AND IRON RETORTS,

Chemically Pure Acids and Reagents

Bicarbonate Soda, Borax, Litharge, Cyanide Potassium, Bluestone, Quicksilver and all Chemicals required by Assayers and Quartz Mills.

orders promptly attended to. ja11w

STOCKS AND MINES.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria
Location of Works - - - - - - - Cariboo.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL NO. 3 of ten cents per share upon the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), made on the Fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid, in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said Assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
Walter H. Blackett	45	13	1 30
Thomas L. Briggs	251	25	2 50
do	253	25	2 50
do	920	250	25 00
William J. Briggs	60	14	1 40
Earnest W. Ball	933	250	25 00
do	934	250	25 00
Henry E. Croasdale	348	100	10 00
Chas. N. Cameron	146	50	5 00
do	147	50	5 00
do	148	50	5 00
do	149	50	5 00
James Cameron	363	50	5 00
Thomas Cox	682	10	1 00
Edward Chubbock	830	10	1 00
Frederick Davey	249½	20	2 00
do	470	20	2 00
John Duncan	469	50	5 00
H. Dunfield	846	10	1 00
Alexander Easson	855	100	10 00
Henry Featherstone	444	50	5 00
do	532	25	2 50
W. H. Grafton	842	10	1 00
do	843	10	1 00
do	844	10	1 00
Cora Hermann	158	100	10 00
Thomas G. Moody	309	34	3 40
J. H. McArthur	684	10	1 00
J. M. Musgrove	845	10	1 00
W. J. McDonald	879	200	20 00
Samuel Nesbitt	165	100	10 00
do	166	100	10 00
do	167	50	5 00
do	498	100	10 00
do	499	100	10 00
do	500	100	10 00
do	501	100	10 00
do	502	100	10 00
do	503	100	10 00
do	504	100	10 00
do	505	50	5 00
Frederick Reynolds	162	100	10 00
do	163	100	10 00
do	164	50	5 00
do	490	100	10 00
do	491	100	10 00
do	492	100	10 00
do	493	100	10 00
do	494	100	10 00
do	495	100	10 00
do	496	100	10 00
do	497	50	5 00
Hugh Ross	767	100	10 00
do	768	100	10 00
do	769	100	10 00
do	770	100	10 00
do	771	100	10 00
do	772	100	10 00
do	774	100	10 00
do	775	100	10 00
do	776	100	10 00
Jas. McB. Smith	815	90	9 00
do	921	50	5 00
Charles Strouss	927	200	20 00
do	935	100	10 00
do	936	100	10 00
do	937	65	6 50
E. A. Selwyn	685	10	1 00
J. H. E. Secretan	850	30	3 00
Isaac Saul	929	100	10 00
Edward Waldo	840	100	10 00
W. C. White	859	50	5 00
Charles Morton	411	25	2 50
do	412	25	2 50

The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Tenth day of August, A. D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the Twenty-first day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

Dated 9th September, 1878,

By order of the Directors,

se10dw G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works - Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B C.

ASSESSMENT NO. I.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 26th day of August, 1878, an assessment of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said Company, payable on the 6th day of September, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 27th day of September, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 24th day of October, 1878, to pay the delinquent Assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON,

se8dw Secretary, Barkerville, B.C.

NOTICE.

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY GENERAL meeting of this company will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, October 1st, 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m. By order C. MORTON, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1878. se3

OFFICE OF THE

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Stock Board on Friday, the 20th September, at 2 o'clock p.m., to take into consideration the purchase of the mine owned by S. Walker, situated on Mosquito Creek, and the increase of the capital stock of the company.

D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 20th 1878. au31

COOPER GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Principal Place of Business - - Victoria.
Lolation of Works - - - - - - - Cariboo

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CALL No. ONE (1) of Five Cents per Share upon the Capital Stock of the Cooper Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited), made on the Tenth day of April A. D. 1878, is now due and unpaid in respect of the Shares hereinafter specified, and that there are now due and unpaid upon the following described Shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such Shares, namely:—

Name	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
John Kurtz	46	50	2 50
do	51	106	5 30
do	52	1406	70 30
Van Volkenburgh Bros.	101	100	5 00
do	102	100	5 00
do	103	100	5 00
do	91	100	5 00
do	106	100	5 00
Wm. P. Sayward	281	50	2 50
Richard Allen	635	100	5 00
do	636	100	5 00
do	639	100	5 00
do	642	100	5 00
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do	698	100	5 00
do	699	98	4 90
do	748	30	1 50

The above mentioned Shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amounts due, with interest thereon at the rate of One per cent. per month from the Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1878, and expenses, will be sold at Public Auction at the British Columbia Mining Stock Board Room, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Saturday the 28th day of September, 1878, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon.

Dated 3rd September, A. D. 1878.

By order of the Directors.

se3dw C. MORTON, Secretary.

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ABOVE Company will be held at Barkerville, on Thursday, October 3d, for the election of Directors. The Company's books will be closed on the 19th of September. Parties who cannot attend will please forward their proxies to the Secretary.

CHAS. WILSON, Secty.

Barkerville, Sept. 3rd, 1878. se4dwtd

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING CO., LIMITED.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS WHO MAY FIND IT IMPOSsible to attend the General Meeting of this Company at Barkerville, on October 3rd, are requested to send proxies (forms to be obtained on application to Mr. Chas. Morton, Langley street, Victoria). Shareholders will please observe that Clause 45, Articles of Association, takes away the right to vote unless all calls have been previously paid.

CHARLES WILSON,

Barkerville, B. C., Sept. 7, 1878. se15

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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ARRIVAL AND CLOSING OF MAILS AT VICTORIA.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, United Kingdom Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Port Townsend	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30 P. M.	Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date	On the 20th of Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., and 10th Dec.
China and Japan	do do	On 20th day of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 P.M.	Mondays and Thursdays at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P.M.	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday at 1 P.M.	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich	Wednesday at 9 A.M.	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke	Monday at 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, United Kingdom, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Granville, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Quesnelle, Soda Creek, Spence's Bridge, Sumas and Yale, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1878. au14

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CLARET in bulk and case,
HOCK, SAUTERNES, CHABLIS AND CHAVES,
SARDINES in half and quarter boxes,
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES,
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JAMES SYME,

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THE FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THIS COMPANY has been removed to Langley street, nearly opposite the Angel Hotel.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE,

au30 Secretary.

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY, (LIMITED).

ASSESSMENT NO. 1 OF THREE-FOURTHS (¾) of one cent. per share has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's Office in Stanley, or at their Office in Victoria, B. C., on or before Monday, 30th September next, and will be delinquent on that day. By order of the Directors.

W. W. DODD, Secretary.

Stanley, B. C., Aug. 30, 1878. se11

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 4 OF TWO AND A-HALF cents per Share has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Tuesday, 24th September next, and will be delinquent on that date. By order of the Directors.

G. A. SARGISON.

Victoria, 29th August, 1878. au30

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REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Waddington Alley and Wharf street.

au27 GEO. PAPPENBERGER, Manager.

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Victoria, B.C., 29th July, 1878. jy30

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OTTER,

CAPTAIN McCULLOCH,

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ON SATURDAY, 21ST INST.

All freight must be on the H. B. Co.'s wharf not later than 5 p.m., on Friday, 20th inst.

The Purser must be supplied with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.

For particulars as to Freight or Passage, apply on board. se15

NOTICE--BARK LADY HEAD.

THE HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S BARK Lady Head, Capt. Barfield, from London, will commence discharging on Monday, 2nd inst.

Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after five o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

For the Hudson Bay Co.,

se1 WILLIAM CHARLES.

NOTICE---BARK LADY HEAD, FROM LONDON.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson Bay Co.,

au30 WILLIAM CHARLES.

NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

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